

REMARKS

Applicant wishes to thank Examiner for allowing claim 13.

Claim 10 has been cancelled. Claims 7-8 and 11-12 have been amended to clarify the subject matter regarded as the invention. Claims 7-9 and 11-13 are pending.

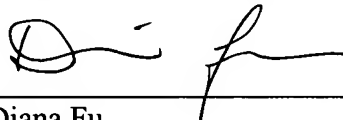
The Examiner has indicated that claims 10-12 contain allowable subject matter. Claims 7, 11 and 12 are intended to include all of the limitations of claims 10-12, respectively, as well as the base claims and any intervening claims. It is therefore believed that claims 7, 11 and 12 are allowable.

Claim 9 depend from claim 7 and is believed to be allowable for the same reasons described above.

Reconsideration of the application and allowance of all claims are respectfully requested based on the preceding remarks. If at any time the Examiner believes that an interview would be helpful, please contact the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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